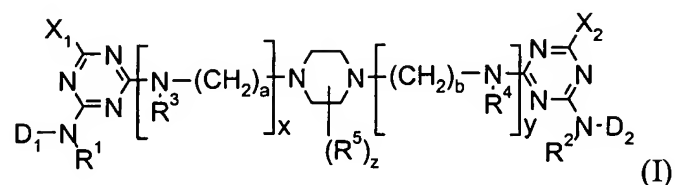## In the Claims

1. (original)   A dyestuff of the formula I

$$(I)$$

wherein

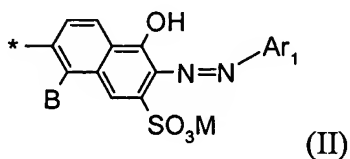each of R^1, R^2, R^3, R^4 and R^5, independently, is H or an optionally substituted alkyl

group;

each of X_1 and X_2, independently, is a labile atom or group;

each of x and y, independently, is 0 or 1 and at least one of x and y is 1;

each of a and b is 2 to 5 and when each of x and y is 1, a > b; and

z is 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4.

D_1 is a group of the formula II

$$(II)$$
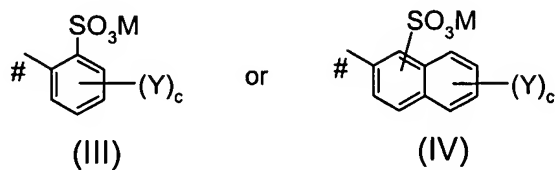
wherein

B is H or SO_3M;

M is H, an alkali metal, an ammonium ion or the equivalent of an alkaline earth

metal;

* indicates the bond to the triazinylamino group;

Ar_1 is a group of the formula III or of the formula IV
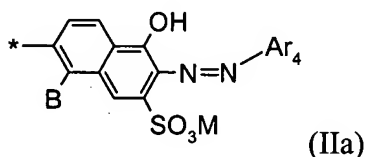

(III)   or   (IV)

wherein

the or each Y independently is SO_3M or an alkyl group, c is 0, 1 or 2, M is

defined as given above and # indicates the bond to the azo group; or

D_1 is a group of the formula IIa
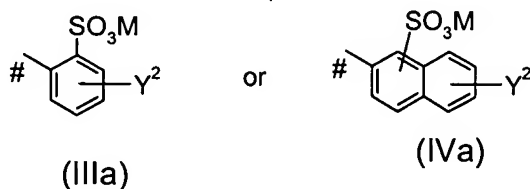

(IIa)

wherein

B is H or SO_3M;

M is H, an alkali metal, an ammonium ion or the equivalent of an alkaline earth

metal;

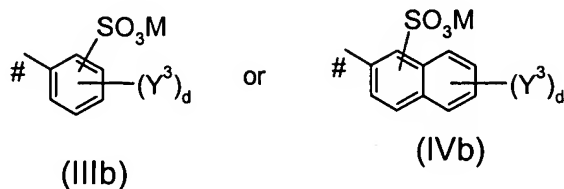* indicates the bond to the triazinylamino group;

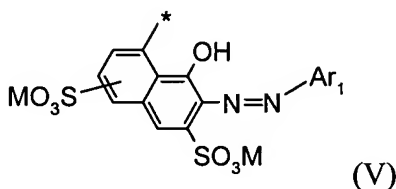Ar_4 is a group of the formula IIIa or of the formula IVa

(IIIa)   or   (IVa)

wherein

Y^2 is $-N=N-Ar_5$, M is defined as given above and # indicates the bond to the azo

group, wherein

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Ar_5 is a group of the formula IIIb or of the formula IVb

(IIIb)   or   (IVb)

wherein the or each Y^3 independently is SO_3M or an alkyl group, d is 0, 1 or 2, M

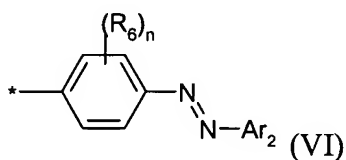is defined as given above and # indicates the bond to the azo group; or

D_1 is a group of the formula V

(V)

wherein

M, * and Ar_1 are defined as given above; or

D_1 is a group of the formula VI
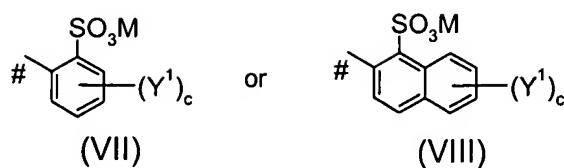

(VI)

wherein

* is defined as given above

n is 0, 1, 2 or 3;

the or each R_6 independently is H, (C_1-C_4)-alkyl, (C_1-C_4)-alkoxy, $NHCONH_2$,

$NHCO(C_1-C_4)$-alkyl, SO_3M or halogen;

Ar_2 is a group of the formula VII or of the formula VIII
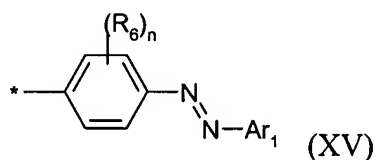
(VII)   or   (VIII)

wherein

the or each Y^1 independently is SO_3M or an alkyl group or $-N=N-Ar_3$, wherein

Ar_3 is an optionally substituted phenylene or naphthylene moiety;

c is 0, 1 or 2, M is defined as given above and # indicates the bond to the azo group;
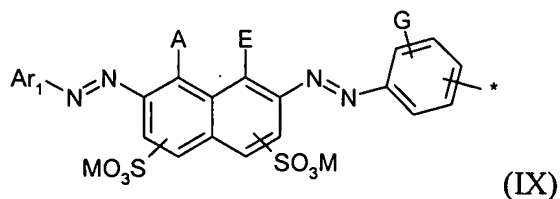
or

D_1 is a group of the formula (XV)

wherein R^6, Ar_1, n and * are defined as given above

D_1 is an azoacetoacetamidoaryl, azopyridone, azopyrazolone or an azopyrimidine

chromophore;

D_2 is a group of the formula II, provided D_1 is not a group of the formula V; or

D_2 is a group of the formula IIa; or
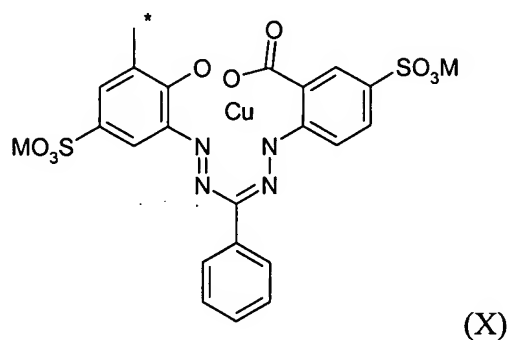
D_2 is a group of the formula IX

(IX)

wherein

A and E are independently OH or NH_2 and A $\neq$ E;

G is H, (C_1-C_4)-alkyl, (C_1-C_4)-alkoxy, SO_3M or halogen; and

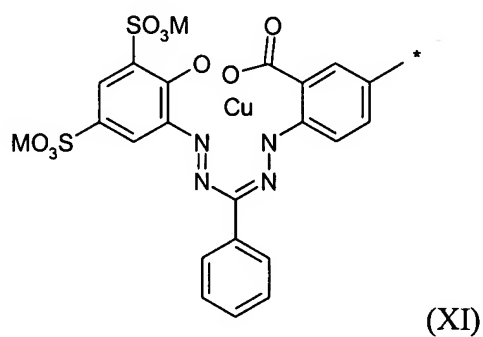Ar_1, M and * are defined as given above; or

D_2 is a group of the formula VI; or

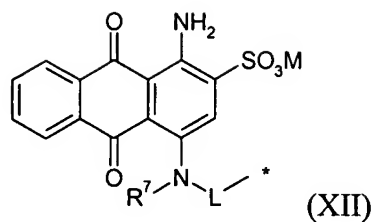D_2 is a group of the formula X

(X)

wherein M and * are defined as given above; or

D_2 is a group of the formula XI

(XI)

wherein M and * are defined as given above; or

D_2 is a group of the formula XII

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(XII)

wherein

R^7 is H or (C_1-C_4)-alkyl;

L is a divalent moiety and

M and * are defined as given above; or

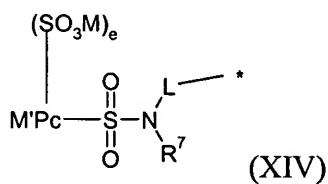D_2 is a group of the formula XIII

(XIII)

wherein

R^8 and R^9, independently, are H, halogen, (C_1-C_4)-alkyl or (C_1-C_4)-alkoxy; and

M, Ar_1 and * are defined as given above; or

D_2 is a group of the formula XIV

(XIV)

wherein

M' is a metal atom;

Pc is a phthalocyanine chromophore;

e is < 4; and

M, L and R^7 are defined as given above; or

D_2 is a group of the formula XV; or

D_2 is an azoacetoacetamidoaryl, azopyridone, azopyrazolone or an azopyrimidine

chromophore.

2. (original)   A dyestuff of the formula I as claimed in claim 1, wherein D_1 and D_2 both

are a group of the formula (II), with the proviso, however, that $D_1 \neq D_2$ or $D_1 = D_2$ if R^1

$\neq R^2$.

3. (original)   A dyestuff of the formula I as claimed in claim 1, wherein

D_1 is a group of the formula (II) and

D_2 is a group of the formula (IX).

4. (original)   A dyestuff of the formula I as claimed in claim 1, wherein

D_1 is a group of the formula (V) and

D_2 is a group of the formula (XV).

5. (original)   A dyestuff of the formula I as claimed in claim 1, wherein

D_1 is a group of the formula (XV) or an azoacetoacetamidoaryl, azopyridone, azopyrazolone

or an azopyrimidine chromophore; and

D_2 is a group of the formula (IX), a group of the formula (X), a group of the formula

(XI), a group of the formula (XII), a group of the formula (XIII) or a group of the

formula (XIV).

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6. (original)   A dyestuff of the formula I as claimed in claim 1, wherein

D_1 is a group of the formula (II), a group of the formula (VI) or an azoacetoacetamidoaryl,

azopyridone, azopyrazolone or an azopyrimidine chromophore; and

D_2 is a group of the formula (VI), or an azoacetoacetamidoaryl, azopyridone,

azopyrazolone or an azopyrimidine chromophore.

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13.   (New) A dyestuff as claimed in claim 1, wherein X_1 and X_2 are halogen.

14.   (New) A dyestuff as claimed in claim 12, wherein X_1 and X_2 are chlorine.

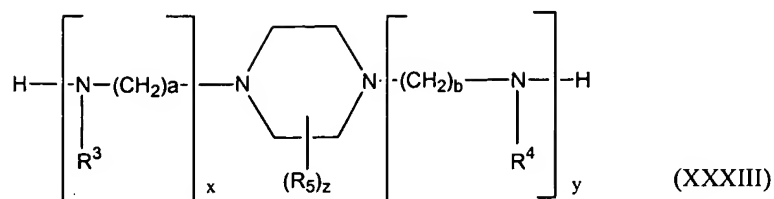15.   (New) A dyestuff as claimed in claim 1, wherein M is H or an alkaline metal.

16.   (New) A dyestuff as claimed in claim 14, wherein M is sodium.

17.   (New) A dyestuff as claimed in claim 1, wherein R^3, R^4 and R^5 are H.

18.   (New) A dyestuff as claimed in claim 1, wherein $a = b = 2$ with $x = 0$ and $y = 1$ or
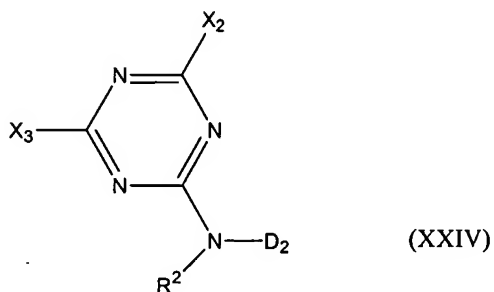
$x = 1$ and $y = 0$.

19.   (New) A process for preparing the dyestuff of formula I as claimed in claim 1,

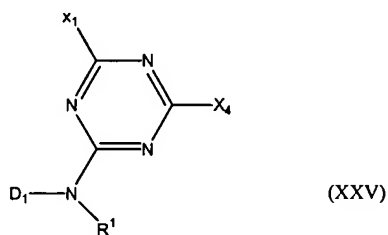which comprises reacting a piperazine compound of the formula XXIII

$$H—\left[-N—(CH_2)a-\right]_x—N\overbrace{\underset{(R_5)_z}{}}N·\left[-(CH_2)_b—N—\right]_y—H \quad \text{with } R^3, R^4$$

(XXXIII)

wherein R^3, R^4, R^5, a, b, x, y, and z are defined as given in claim 1, with a

compound of the formula XXIV

(XXIV)

wherein R^2, X_2 and D_2 are defined as given in claim 1 and X_3 is a labile atom or a

group capable of reaction with an amine, chlorine, and with a compound of the

formula XXV

(XXV)

wherein R^1, X_1 and D_1 are defined as given in claim 1 and X_4 has one of the

meanings of X_3.

20. (New) A process for dyeing and printing hydroxy- and/or carboxamido-

containing fibre materials which comprises contacting said material with the

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dyestuff of the formula I according to claim 1.